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COOLER

Ten Cents a Week

BELIEVE ARRAS SECTOR WILL RECEIVE NEXT GERMAN ATTACK IN ENDEAVOR TO CUT BRITISH AND FRENCH COMMUNICATIONS

ANZAC GUNNERS, STRIPPED, IN ACTION ON WESTERN FRONT



ANZAC GUNNERS ON PICARDY FRONT

BRITISH OFFICIAL PHOTO

Conventionalities of dress receive scant attention when the big guns and the weather get hot at the same time on the battle front. Here is how one group of Australians appeared around their big gun on the Picardy battle front.

SIXTY-THREE DEAD FROM EXPLOSIONS

Oakdale Morgues Are Crowded With Charred Remains of the Slain.

Twenty-four Badly Injured Are Conveyed to Pittsburgh Hospital.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Pittsburgh, May 20.—Sixty-three charred bodies lay today in the temporary morgue at Oakdale, near here, where on Saturday the high explosive plant of The Aetna Chemical Co. was destroyed by explosions.

Ninety-four injured were being cared for in Pittsburgh hospitals, and officials of the company said 212 of the total working force had not yet been accounted for. Many of these were expected to register during the day.

Investigation of the disaster by federal, state and village authorities was in progress today, while the search of the ruins was continued today.

CARGO STEAMER SUNK BY MINE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 20.—The American cargo steamer J. G. McCullough has been sunk by a mine or torpedo. The Navy Department was advised today. All hands were saved except the engineer.

OVERMAN BILL IS SIGNED BY WILSON

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 20.—President Wilson today signed the Overman bill giving the President broad powers to co-ordinate government departments.

REJECTS HUN TREATY



QUEEN MARIE

MARTIAL LAW IS DECLARED IN PRAGUE

Bohemian Capital Now in Grip of Military.

Opposition to German Domination Increasing.

(Associated Press Cable)

London, May 20.—A state of siege has been proclaimed at Prague, the Bohemian capital. The police and military garrison has been reinforced. These counter measures, according to a dispatch from Zurich follow word received from Amsterdam. Her Majesty says she had rather abdicate than reign over a country under German rule. The Queen's children are said to be of the same opinion.

At a performance in the Bohemian National Theater speeches violently attacking Germany were delivered and a renewal of the alliance between Germany and Austria was denounced. Several deputies addressed the crowd, urging resistance to the end and the sacrifice of wealth and blood for Bohemia. The theater was then closed and rioting occurred in the streets outside.

Crowds singing patriotic songs accompanied Jugo-Slavs to the railway station.

ADVANCE MADE IN MACEDONIA

(Associated Press Cable)

Paris, May 20.—French and Italian troops have made an advance of 12 1/2 miles on the western end of the Macedonian front, the war office announces.

CASUALTY LIST

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 20.—Today's casualty list contained 45 names, none of them Ohio men. Seven were killed in action.

London Announces Increase in Artillery Fire Near Albert.

Lack of Fighting Spirit Reported Among Crack German Divisions.

Most of the First Class Shock Units Have Been Badly Broken Up.

Recruiting New Members Has Weakened Spirit of Foe.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Significance may attach to the official report of heavy artillery fire in the sector between Arras and Albert, which comprises the northerly continuation of the Somme battle front.

London today announces a considerable increase in the German artillery activity between Albert and Beaucourt, a 10-mile front covering about half the distance between Albert and Arras. It is along this line that many of the military observers are predicting that the expected German blow will be struck. What is known as the Arras salient, which projects from the British lines between the German salient of the Somme and the Lys is standing in the way of a further German advance toward the coast or the Franco-British lines of communication.

By cutting these lines at important points the enemy apparently hopes to divide the two armies.

Lack of fighting spirit in the crack German divisions it is reported, is holding back a renewal of the heavy battles.

Most of the first class units were shattered severely in the fighting of the last two months, and require more rest before they can again take up more active operations.

HEAVY TORNADO HITS NEBRASKA

By Associated Press Dispatch.

London, May 20.—A tornado at Bloomfield, Neb., Saturday night, killed 12 and injured 25, mostly children, it was learned today when communication was established with the town. The storm left scores of demolished homes, barns and other buildings in its wake.

It is feared later details will swell the death list.

CHOOSE EXILE AMONG SWISS

(Associated Press Cable)

Geneva, May 20.—Nicholas Romanoff, former Czar of Russia, and his family, according to reports printed in Vienna newspapers, has given his choice of exile in Rumania or Switzerland and has decided to go to Switzerland.

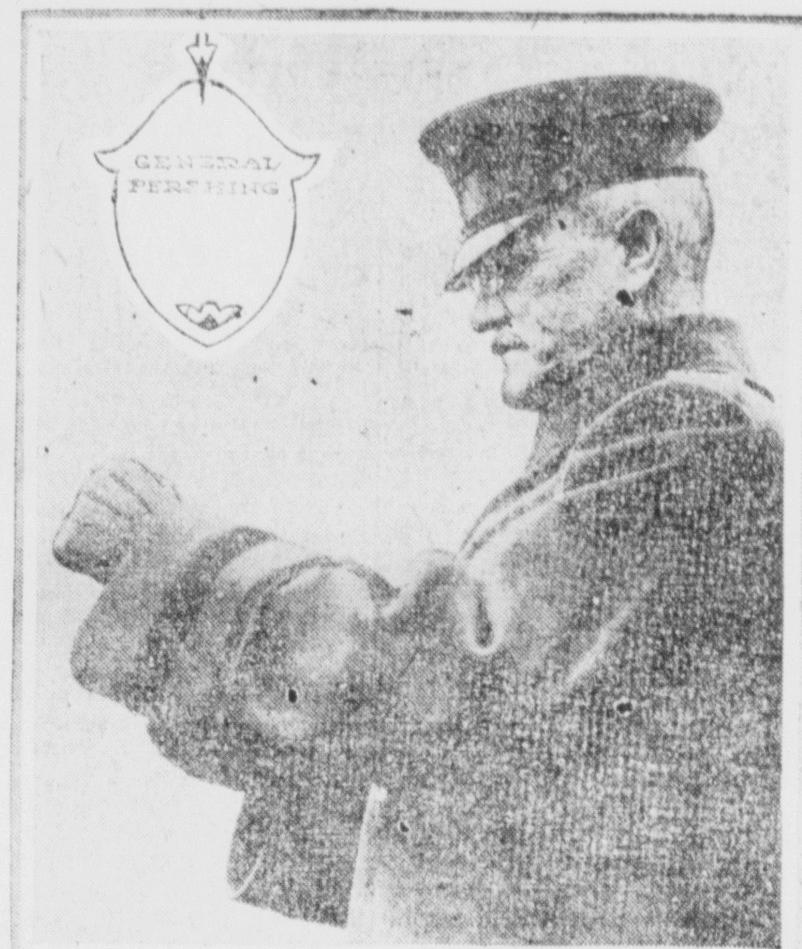
This concession, it is added, is granted on condition that he refrain from making efforts to return to his throne.

REGISTRATION BILL IS SIGNED

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 20.—President Wilson today signed the bill for the registration for army duty of youths who have become 21 since June 5th, last year, and who become 21 on June 5th hereafter.

A LATE PHOTOGRAPH



A new photograph of General John J. Pershing, commander in chief of the American forces in France. This is one of the few pictures that show the fighting jaw of the American leader.

PLANE ROUTE STATIONS TO BE CREATED

Washington C. H. to be One Stop on Route from Camp Sherman to Dayton.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Camp Sherman, May 20.—Establishment of an airplane route to include Dayton, Washington C. H., and Camp Sherman, besides possible other points is predicted here, following increased activities at the Dayton flying field, with improved weather conditions.

A landing field is being sought at Washington C. H., it is said on good authority.

Airplanes are wanted as an added feature of training here. The planes could be used for observation with infantry as well as with artillery, it was pointed out.

AMERICA'S PREMIER ACE IS KILLED

(Associated Press Cable)

With the American Army in France, May 19.—Major Raoul Lusser, premier ace of the American Flying Corps, has been killed in an air battle. He will be buried tomorrow with full military honors in which both French and American troops will take part. He lived at Wauflingford, Conn.

The German machine which brought him down apparently escaped. Lusser's only wound aside from those received when he fell to earth, was a bullet through the thumb. Apparently he died from loss of blood.

HEAVY TOLL IN LONDON AIR RAIDS

(Associated Press Cable)

London, May 20.—Thirty-seven persons were killed and 175 injured in the London area during last night's air raid. The attack of the Germans probably was the most ambitious ever undertaken.

Never before was there such a continued volley of firing from the British anti-aircraft batteries.

The raid was one of the most exciting Londoners had yet experienced.

As the enemy approached the sky was filled with bursting shrapnel. The most dramatic moment came when the distinct hum of one of the German planes became a flutter and ceased. The plane was seen to burst into flames as it fell.

MEXICAN SHOT KILLS SERGEANT

By Associated Press Dispatch. McAllen, Texas, May 20.—Sergeant Herbert Ulrich, of Michigan, was killed by a shot from across the Mexican border today. Four Mexicans were killed in the return fire.

TOOL COMPANY WINS.

By Associated Press Dispatch. Washington, May 20.—The United Tool Machine Company today won its case in the Supreme Court against the government anti-trust action.

AMERICAN FORCES IN FRANCE ARE REAL THING

Associated Press Dispatch. British Headquarters in France, via Ottawa, May 20.—Parts of northern France have become, within a short period, thickly populated with American fighting forces, and great American training camps and depots are springing up where two months ago only British forces were seen.

The outstanding impression of American organization may be summed up in one word—thoroughness.

Intensified training is being tirelessly carried out in combination with the British and French.

SEIN FINN AGITATORS DETERMINED

No Fresh Outbreak Sunday, But Arrests Have Not Quiet ed Trouble.

(By Associated Press Cable)

London, May 20.—No fresh development Sunday in the Sein Feinn affair has been reported. Very few news telegrams are arriving from Dublin but they report everything quiet, at least outwardly.

With the arrest of Count Plunkett, four of the six Sein Feinn members of Parliament are in custody. Vice President Morris and remaining heads of the Sein Feinn organization have issued a reply to the government proclamation saying:

"The country may rest assured that no matter how many of the leaders may be arrested there will be men and women to take their places."

ASK FARRELL TO ASSIST

By Associated Press Dispatch. Washington, May 20.—James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel Corporation, is the latest captain of industry to be asked to help the government win the war.

He has been tendered the position of Director of Operations of the Shipping Board.

TURKS AGAIN TAKE OFFENSIVE

By Associated Press Dispatch. London, May 20.—The Turks have resumed the offensive all along the Caucasus front and have occupied Dan, says a dispatch from Tiflis dated May 12. Another Armenian massacre has begun.

PROMPT RESPONSE TO FAYETTE'S WAR CHEST

Wayne Township First to Go Over The Top With Several Thousand Dollars Above Quota

Willingness To Do Their Bit Manifested By Host of Loyal Citizens.

Laborers Arouse Workers Before Sun-Up to Give Bit.

The big drive for \$100,000 or more with which to fill Fayette county's war chest opened bright and early Monday morning, and in some districts the people who wanted to give beat the workers to the matter and the workers were aroused before breakfast by men who wanted to be first—and in each instance it was a laboring man who was the early bird.

Workers on all sides reported to the main committee throughout the day that they were surprised at the willingness shown by citizens in general—a willingness which amounted to eagerness to do what little they could by giving.

And Wayne township is the first to go over the top—and has not only gone over the top with a whoop, but is still going, with every indication that when the canvass is completed she will be over the top nearly double her quota.

Wayne township's quota of the minimum \$100,000 fund, was \$8,000 and at 10 o'clock Monday morning Chairman Daugherty received word that the total subscriptions in the township amounted to \$13,000, added up with \$7,366 to the credit of East Wayne, and \$7,700 to the credit of West Wayne.

The great success in Wayne has been an incentive to the other workers who were notified of the big fund

given Germany her sins when Germany repented of her sins and became contrite and honest and returned the property out of which she has robbed other nations.

He was not afraid, he said, that the grand battle line in France—the British, French, Belgians and Americans—would break, but he was fearful of the pacifist at home who might be influenced by Germany's peace propaganda to be launched after the next drive failed. This propaganda, he stated, would be the greatest and most vicious the world has ever seen and absolutely barren of honest intention, and we must be on our guard. The insidious, insincere peace drive is more to be dreaded than Hindenburg's offensive.

It was a splendid address and aroused the people to a clearer understanding of the needs and duties of the hour.

The services were closed by Rev. Grove, of the Christian church, with a beautiful prayer of thankfulness and hope.

ATHLETICS LOSE OPENING GAME TO WHITE SOX

The opening game of the local baseball season was played Sunday afternoon on the Sycamore street diamond. It was a good game, a close game well played and not over until the last man was retired in the ninth inning. The defense work of both teams was excellent and while the score of three to one recorded Washington on the short end, yet the Athletics, manager and players have no cause to grumble at the game fight made.

For the first time out new line-up and many players new to the lot the game they played was remarkable.

The White Sox are a strong organization and play well together.

The locals out played the visitors almost two to one, Washington used three pitchers, Melvin, Newlands and McCullough and the visitors one, Bender. While each side made three errors the locals managed to bunch theirs at the wrong time, while the visitors placed their errors where they were harmless.

CHILD WELFARE WORK

Fayette county mothers are doing their bit by bringing all children under six years of age to township and precinct headquarters to be examined and listed for the government. Do not neglect this patriotic duty as your children will greatly benefit from it during the coming year.

Township headquarters: Marion, West Holland school house, Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, 1 to 5. Manara school house 1 to 5. Thursday afternoon, Miss May Vincent and Mrs. John Brownell in charge.

Paint—Bloomingburg public school and home of Mrs. J. H. Gossard Prairie pike, Thursday afternoon 1 to 5. Miss Bertha Larrimer.

Jasper Township—Chamberlain Store, Wednesday evening 6 to 9. Mrs. John Perrill, Mrs. Willard Creamer.

Jefferson Township—Red Cross Room Township Hall, Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Ora Allen.

A complete list of township and precinct headquarters will be published Wednesday, May 22nd.

SCHOOL CALENDAR ANNOUNCED TODAY

With commencement only ten days off, and school closing the 29th, the following school calendar has been announced.

Senior Class Day, Friday, May 24th with tickets on sale at Tuttle's Book Store, Wednesday, May 22nd.

Bacalaureate Sermon, Sunday night, May 26th, Rev. G. E. Grove will deliver the sermon.

Eighth Grade Promotion Exercises, Tuesday night, May 28th at 7:30 o'clock. Seats for parents will be reserved in the center section of the auditorium.

High School Commencement, Wednesday night, May 29th at 8 o'clock. President J. W. Hoffman of Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware, will deliver the class address.

BRITISH FLEET NOT INACTIVE

(Associated Press Correspondence)

London, April 11.—In view of the reiterated German statement that the British fleet does nothing but lie in home water and harbors, some interest attaches to a report of the British Admiralty which shows that during a single month recently the British Grand Fleet and its units steamed a total of over a million miles, while for patrol vessels around the British coasts, the figure was approximately six million miles.

Dr. McAlpin said he had no patience with the pacifist—that he was a man of peace but that we must have peace that meant peace—not German deception.

He likened Germany to the mad dog, the menace which must be overpowered. He was willing, he said, to for-

INSPIRING MEETING AT GRACE CHURCH

Union Patriotic Service Attended by Large Audience.

Dr. McAlpin Delivers Splendid Address.

Grace Church was filled Sunday evening with thoughtful, patriotic people who listened, in deep attention, to the services, fully appreciating the importance of the occasion—a union patriotic meeting in which all churches joined.

Following an organ prelude by Miss Minnie Light the high school glee club entered, two score or more of fine looking boys and girls. Rev. Arthur P. Cherrington, in a few beautiful and appropriate remarks, opened the services, reading, as a part of his remarks the two poems: "On Flanders Field"—the message of the dead to the living and the response of the living taking up the burden laid down by those who gave their lives for liberty.

Mr. Henry Brownell was then introduced, and the meeting formally turned over to the War Work Council.

In the absence of Chairman M. S. Daugherty, unavoidably detained in Columbus, Hon. Frank C. Parrett was introduced by Mr. Brownell, who representing the War Council would explain its aims and purposes.

Mr. Parrett's address was a ringing call to duty—a clear definition of our part of all that we could do and the necessity for action.

During the course of Mr. Parrett's short talk the audience listened in deep attention. Following Mr. Parrett Rev. D. J. Reilly, of McNair Memorial

WANTED BARBER

Good Wages at the CLUB BILLIARD PARLOR



Fayette County's WAR CHEST

Campaign Is On

For the purpose of enabling the county to pay its quota to all recognized War Work activities, for the purpose of insuring every dollar given by patriotic people, to bear the cost of war's necessary auxiliaries such as the Red Cross, the Army Y. M. C. A. and other activities bearing the authentication of the war department as necessary war work, for the purpose of relieving people from numerous campaigns reducing uncertainty to certainty, relieving active business men of the need to make separate campaigns, in order that every dollar, every penny, every ounce of energy may be applied where it will bring the greatest result in war, to apply business methods to the biggest business in the world—the most important business to every community and individual this plan has been devised.

Fill The War Chest And Every Call Upon Our People Will Be Met Promptly

You are asked to give only a small part, one thirty-first of your monthly income. Our soldiers give all. Remember the boys in the trenches. Remember the lack of home comforts. Remember your neighbor's boy if you have no boy of your own.

Fill The War Chest Promptly

Fill It To Overflowing



THE Y. M. C. A. ON THE BATTLE FRONT

In their fight against the Kaiser American soldier boys under shell fire in France are being given all possible comforts and assistance, according to announcement just received here from the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. At the present time there are more than 250 American Y. M. C. A. secretaries under shell fire. These men have been with Pershing's troops from the time they landed on foreign soil.

A total of \$5,000,000 is being expended monthly by the Army Y. M. C. A. in its work for the American troops at home and abroad. There are 2,500 Y. M. C. A. workers in France and England and 3,000 in American Camps.

Because of the increasing need for men in this service and the force

necessary to operate the entire camp system in France, efforts are being made to enroll at least 1,000 more business and professional men of high standing who are willing to go to France for every kind of Y. M. C. A. service before July 1.

It is estimated that 8,000,000 feet of film are being exhibited weekly to the soldiers at home and abroad. A recent shipment of athletic equipment for the troops in France consisted of 79,680 base balls, 19,000 bats, 10,000 gloves and mitts, boxing gloves, volley balls, and various other kinds of apparatus for promoting the play spirit among the troops in their leisure hours.

The Y. M. C. A. has established a chain of huts and dugouts along the front lines occupied by American troops "over there" and is meeting the needs of the Sammies as they take their places alongside their Allies. The Y. M. C. A. huts on the Russian front have been demolished

by German guns and the 150 secretaries there have retired before the advance of the Huns and are now established in Siberia awaiting an opportunity to return to Russia.

HOW THEY GO AFTER PEACE DISTURBERS IN CITY OF XENIA

If you leave your auto exhaust open and have \$100 and costs, prepare to shed it now.

A vigorous campaign is being agitated against motorists who operate their machines on the city streets with the muffler wide open, in direct contravention of a city ordinance.

An ordinance passed some time ago, makes it a misdemeanor to operate a machine within the city limits with the exhaust pipe open and provides for a fine upon being found guilty, of not more than \$100 and

costs. Agitation against the practice especially on some of the newly paved streets, has reached such a point that action is being started at once to stop it.

It is planned to post an auto cop on one of the streets in question and make a wholesale arrest of offenders. Judge Smith is prepared to do his worst in an effort to break up the practice and motorists should take the warning from this. That the purpose of the ordinance will be lived up to is the promise of the authorities.—Xenia Gazette.

GOOD FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY
Every family requires a safe and reliable cough and cold remedy. Mrs. John Potter, 20 Shupe St., Mt. Pleasant, Pa. writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar for colds for years and highly recommend it to all families." Contains no opiates: Checks bronchial and grip coughs, croup and whooping cough. Blackmer & Tandy.

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TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Business Office, Automatic.....22121 Society Editor, Automatic.....5691
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Now for the War Chest

The campaign, if such it should be called, to fill Fayette county's war chest began today. Every indication now is that the campaign will be largely conducted by the people themselves now that they understand the proposal and so thoroughly approve of it.

The war chest plan, such as has been adopted for Fayette county, is admittedly the best business method yet devised for dealing with the biggest business, the most important business—the business of war—which ever confronted the people of the United States.

The war affects every state, every community, every home and every individual and with each it is the business of primary importance.

Individuals have long since realized that there must be organized effort. Individuals haven't the time nor the wide range of experience to keep posted on where to put their dollars to make them count most in the defense of the world is waging against the barbarians. Business men who do, and must, keep in touch with war activities, can't be expected to give several days each week to conduct campaigns of education and to raise funds for the many war activities.

The war chest plan has been devised and put into operation. It enables the people to pay into the custody of men who are in touch with affairs, amounts for the support of each one and all of the war activities, and these men in charge of the war chest apportion these funds as merit demands.

The county by that method always meets the demands and the dollars of the people go to the right spot to insure the greatest service.

Triumph, "Mightily and Worthily."

We must triumph in the struggle—that's the aim and the purpose of all, but we must triumph "mighty and worthily."

How correctly and how plainly the President expresses it.

It will do humanity no good to win the war which the Huns are waging unless it is a decisive triumph of arms and of right. We must hold fast to the higher and nobler purposes during all of the trying days of suffering and sorrow, and when the day of settlement comes, as come it must, we must not lose, for one instant, the nobler thoughts and purposes if the world is to be saved to liberty.

We must triumph "worthily" else the struggle has been lost so far as securing to the world any permanent and lasting good. To triumph "worthily" we must not permit ourselves to hate blindly and unreasoningly. There is a vast difference between blind barbarous hate and righteous wrath.

America is struggling for humanity—the humanity of the present and humanity for all time. Principles vital to human liberty must be established throughout the world—they must triumph and they must triumph by might and worth combined. The Huns seek to destroy those principles by might and to meet that effort the liberty-loving world must summon its might to the fray, but behind that might the foundation of America's strength is the worth and justice of the principles which America and her allies have taken up arms to defend.

President Wilson is conceded by all to be a great speaker and writer—a great phrase-maker, but back of those beautiful phrases and complete sentences there is the remarkably correct and the logical understanding of the great principles of justice and human liberty to be finally established now and forever throughout the world.

Xenia Gets Busy

The city authorities over in our neighboring city of Xenia have determined to stop the incessant din and confusion occasioned by open exhausts on automobiles if there is anything in the law warranting them and they claim they have the law with them.

We hope Xenia succeeds in its crusade and that the efforts of Xenia authorities will be followed by our own official family.

Washington streets have been producing a bedlam of unnecessary noise during every day of the week, Sunday included, by reason of the auto exhaust nuisance.

There is no need, for autoists to keep their exhaust open—no excuse at all. Indeed the better class of machines are constructed with mufflers permanently closed.

Something must be done soon or people will be compelled to suspend business on week days and go out in the woods to hold "meetin'" on Sunday. The streets are intended for the public to use to pass from place to place without unnecessarily infringing the rights of the property owners and business folks.

Poetry For Today

THE PACIFIST

Long years ago there lived, 'tis said,
A kind of man (they still exist)
Whom people called a Copperhead.
They call him now a Pacifist.

When to protect the weak we fought
The man who dared not to enlist
Was dubbed a coward. Now we're taught
To say he is a Pacifist.

When one who coldly answered her
Who shrieked for help, "Do not resist!"

Men fiercely said he was a Cur—
But now he is a Pacifist.

In time of war one who should say,
"Yield to our dear antagonist!"
Was deemed a Traitor, but today
He boasts he is a Pacifist.

Then lower the flag and sheathe the
sword, —

While tortured hosts appeal in vain
Accept the Kaiser's sacred word
Lest our distrust should give him
pain.

Count Honor as the veriest dross,
Let holy Freedom's name be hissed
And, sending for the Iron Cross,
Bestow it on the Pacifist.

—Manufacturers' Record.

Weather Report

Washington, May 20.—Ohio: Thunder showers Monday, cooler in north and at night in south portion; Tuesday fair.

Western Pennsylvania — Thunder showers Monday, cooler at night; Tuesday fair and cooler.

West Virginia—Thunder showers Monday, cooler at night; Tuesday fair.

Tennessee — Fair Monday and Tuesday.

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Fair.

Daily Calendar.

From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 8:11; moon sets, 2:39 a. m.; sun rises, 5:39.

CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

1:00 o'clock p. m.

Temperature 77

Lowest last night 61

Moisture percentage 85

Rainfall 17

Bareometer 30.03

A classified will secure help for you

POTATOES

Should Now Be Eaten To Save Food, and Especially to Save Wheat—Also To Save Money.

1. Our Government requests this

2. And our duty is to obey.

3. There is danger of 30,000,000 bushels of potatoes going to waste.

4. Let us use them and save other food which will keep.

5. By so doing, save money.

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GRAIN MARKET CLOSE

Chicago, May 20.—Corn — May

\$1.273; July \$1.235.

Oats—May 78; July 68.

Pork—May \$42.30; July \$42.65.

Lard—Sept. 22; July \$24.92.

Ribs—Sept. 23; July \$23.60.

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HOW MUCH IS A QUARTER?



Ever take a quarter and weigh it? Of course you didn't. What is a quarter good for anyway? Just to pile on top of another one until you get a dollar. Ever need a dollar? Sure you have, who hasn't? Here is something a quarter WILL do. It will buy a Thrift Stamp—just as many stamps as you have quarters—and those same stamps are going to protect you some day. They are going to make that old easy chair possible when you're tired. They are going to make you hold your head up when men around you talk about money—for you will have it too, and be as independent as the next fellow.

H. C.

TIMOTHY

Prime cash \$3.80; March \$4.25; September \$4.10.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat	.....	\$2.07
Corn	.....	\$1.23
Oats	.....	70c

WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET

Eggs, paving price	.....	22c
Eggs, selling price	.....	34c
Butter	.....	26c
Fancy butter	.....	39c
Young Chickens	.....	18c

IN STONE'S SEAT



SENATOR HITCHCOCK

Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock, of Nebraska, has been named the new chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, succeeding the late Senator Stone.

Prices paid the farmer is not fair to the man who is producing only good eggs. It is estimated that the loss in Ohio from these inferior eggs amounts to two cents for every dozen marketed — F. S. Jacoby, the Ohio State University.

Overheard in the Garden

The surest way to prevent injury from the cucumber beetles, I find, is to protect the young plants with fine screen or cheesecloth coverings. A cigar box with top removed and the bottom replaced by cheesecloth makes a cheap and serviceable protection. These small striped, yellow and black beetles appear about the plants, very suddenly and soon destroy them if unprotected.

F. S. Jacoby and M. C. Kapatrak, poultry specialists, will offer the instruction.

In addition to the poultry instruction, Lena Bumpas, an extension home economics instructor, will give demonstrations in the canning of fruits and vegetables and information on food conservation.

The itinerary of the demonstrations for the first part of June follows: Circleville, June 1; Williamsport, 4; New Holland, 5; Clarksburg, 6; Bloomingburg, 7; Jeffersonville, 8; South Solon, 10; Jamestown, 11; Bowersville, 12; Millerville, 13; Sabina, 14; New Antioch, 15; Leesburg, 17.

Reducing Egg Losses

During the summer months the quality of eggs in Ohio is considerably inferior to that of the months of March, April, and May. With the advent of warm weather there is constant spoilage due to the fact that the eggs are extremely perishable.

Fertile eggs spoil very rapidly. Incubation starts at seventy degrees and progresses rapidly at a temperature from ninety to a hundred degrees. Ordinarily eggs pass through the hands of four or five different middlemen before they reach the ultimate consumer. From the time the eggs leave the farm until they reach artificial refrigeration, there will be deterioration in the quality.

Consequently, summer eggs should be marketed frequently and kept as cool as possible.

An infertile egg will not spoil as quickly as a fertile egg. Dealers buy eggs by the dozen and pay for both good and bad eggs. These bad eggs must be eliminated before they reach the consumer. Consequently, the

NEGRO IS BURNED BY ANGRY MOBS

Infuriated Tennesseans Riddle Body of Negro With Bullets and Then Burn It.

By Associated Press Dispatch. Junction City, Tenn., May 20—Thomas Debert, a negro, was shot to death and later his body was burned, last night near Erwin, by a band of men after a sensational chase in which the negro swam a river dragging with him the dead body of his victim, a 15-year old white girl.

The negro's body was dragged back to town to the negro section and the negro population was forced to come out and line up while the mob piled wood on the body, setting fire to the pile.

NO AGREEMENT WITH M'ADOO

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 20.—Congressional leaders and Secretary McAdoo failed today to agree on whether revenue legislation should be undertaken at this session of congress and the decision was left until some future conference.

CHANCE EXPLOSIONS CAUSES SURRENDER

(Associated Press Correspondence)

London, April 19.—Surrender of a German force of 3,000 men in East Africa was due to the chance dropping of a number of bombs by a British air man, according to a report from Capetown, which says:

"An officer of the Flying Corps was out on reconnaissance in the region of the Rovuma River, but found nothing to bomb. Being forced to discharge his machine for the homeward trip, he chose a quiet spot and dropped them all, causing, of course considerable noise.

"The German General, Tafel, was at the time marching to join his chief, Von Lettow, but news of the explosion was reported to him, and he, thinking a large force of the enemy must be somewhere in the district diverted his line of march and before long bumped into a British force.

"Ultimately his whole force, 3,000 strong, surrendered."

Boost Washington; Buy at home.

THE OLD RELIABLE

Social and Personal

Mrs. C. E. McCord was happily surprised Sunday when some forty or fifty of her relatives and friends arrived at her home to remind her that she had reached her forty-eighth mile stone.

At noon an elaborate dinner was spread.

Those enjoying the day with the honor guest were: Mr. and Mrs. Lige Sever; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirk and daughter Aleta; Paul Wilber Sever of Reeserville; Mr. and Mrs. John Kirk and daughter Helen of Bloomington; Mr. and Mrs. Floy J. Harper, Carl Jesse and Grace Harper; Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Baughn, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burris, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Burris and daughters Edith, Grace, Louise and Dorothea Ann of Sabina; Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ellis and Martha, Carl and Harold Ellis of Milledgeville; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellis of Muncie, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Todd and daughter Dorothea Fern; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Burris and son Eugene of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gray and son Donald of Sabina and Master Harold and Ruth McCord.

A merry social time was enjoyed, and it was late in the evening before the guests went to their different homes, reluctant to break up a day of so much pleasure.

The May meeting of "The Lower Lights" was greatly enjoyed at the country home of Mr. Ed. Sheridan near Staunton.

The two twin daughters, Misses Edwin and Ethel filled the roles of hostesses delightfully, assisted by their mother and sister, Mrs. Dave Binegar.

There was a large attendance of this congenial class under the tutelage of Mrs. Williams Craig and after the business session, which included election of officers, they all adjourned to the beautiful lawn for games and a merry good time. Delicious refreshments were served.

The officers elected were Miss Ethel E. Sheridan, President; Miss Ethel A. Sheridan, Vice President; Lawrence Sheridan, Secretary; Miss Helen Boyer, Treasurer.

Lookout and visiting committees were appointed.

Friday witnessed a family gathering of exceptional pleasure and interest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Bennett, on Columbus Avenue, in honor of the son, Raymond F. Bennett, who after an absence of five months in the U. S. Navy, visited his parents for the week end.

The young ensign is assigned to U. S. Ship Shawmut, at present, station at Boston, Mass. He is looking fine and loyally enthusiastic over the way Uncle Sam is taking care of the men and the good "eats" provided.

Thirty relatives and friends gave him hearty welcome and wished him the best of luck.

The out of town relatives were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bennett and son, of Dayton, Corporal J. E. Scheiding and Mrs. Scheiding (nee Ruth Bennett) of Camp Sherman. Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holiday, and Mr. William Holiday, of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Worley entertained at "Shady Brook" farm Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Day, son Marvin, and daughter, Mary, of Austin, Mrs. Day is a sister of Mrs. Worley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Reno and Miss Marie Cook motored to Cincinnati Sunday and visited James Johnson at the Ohio Mechanics Institute.

Miss Arta Moore, was the guest of Miss Anna Hempstead in Wilmington over Sunday.

Miss Marie Grove, accompanied Misses Mary Craig, Miriam Fite, Su Ann Putnam and Louise Weaver home from Urbana Sunday evening, to spend a couple of days with friends.

Miss Alice Meyer was the week end guest of friends in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watt arrived Saturday evening from Kansas City, Mo., to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watt until he is called into military service.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Townsend were the weekend guests of Mr. Townsend's brother, Mr. Guy Townsend, and wife, in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barnes, of Hillsboro, were motoring guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Barnes, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. James Thornton, who has been visiting Miss Fern Sunkle for a few days, returned to her home in Xenia Sunday evening.

Mr. D. W. Ellis received a telegram Saturday evening, announcing the safe arrival of his son, Howard, in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Foster of Bloomingburg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Foster, over Sunday.

Mr. Joseph W. Lowe and daughter, Miss Bertha, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Slagle, of Greenfield, were the Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Bush.

Frank Mayo was up from Camp Sherman visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mayo, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kingsbury motored down from Columbus to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Kingsbury.

Barris Tharp was down from Columbus spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tharp.

Miss Carrie Willis was the week end guest of Miss Jean Fitzgerald in Columbus, and motored to Camp Sherman to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Blackmore, daughter, Marjorie Ellen, Mrs. Mary Blackmore, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Calendar motored to Springfield, Sunday, and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leach, and attended the visitors day services at the Mulberry street Church of Christ.

Mr. Ben F. Jamison and family, Oliver Miller and Ralph Taylor motored to the Wright Aviation Field near Dayton Sunday. Frank Jamison, who is attending St. Mary's Academy, in Dayton, joined them at Xenia.

Miss Margaret Fullerton was down from Columbus over Sunday.

Ernest Conner, aged sixteen years, went to Cincinnati Sunday and enlisted in the Navy. Young Conner is now stationed at Ft. Thomas awaiting his transfer.

Sergeant Vanderbeck, and Sergeant Howard Moles of Camp Sherman spent Sunday here.

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LOST — Saturday, lady's gold watch, between White Tile meat market and Bargain Store, or between Sauer's Bakery and Houston Creamery. Finder please leave at Commercial Bank and receive reward. Mrs. J. A. Marshall, R. I. Box 41. 119 t6

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Joseph were down from Columbus Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Wardus Collopy, Miss Delta Hidy and Fred Hillery were motoring guests of George Murphy at Camp Sherman, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Charles Waters, of Canton was the guest of Mrs. Myrtle McCreas, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flora of Camp Sherman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Hamilton, for the week end.

James Dunn came down from Columbus, Monday afternoon, to spend the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Dunn, until he leaves for Camp Sherman.

Mr. C. G. Parrett of Bloomingburg, accompanied by Dr. Loring Brock, left Monday afternoon for Asheville, N. C., taking his son Thomas who has not been well for some time, there for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer White and Miss Golda Ryan were motoring guests in Mt. Sterling, Sunday.

Mr. L. W. Buckmaster and Mr. George Jones are business visitors from Columbus here today.

Rey. J. H. Burma D. D. of Dubuque, Iowa, and Synodical Sup. of Mississippi, L. S. Phelps, of West Point, Miss., delegates to the General Assembly in Columbus, delivered strong discourses at the First Presbyterian and Grace M. E. Church Sunday. They were taken back to Columbus by Mr. Frank M. Fullerton in time for the evening session. Rev. Wm. Boynton Gage also returned for the night session.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kingsbury motored down from Columbus to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Kingsbury.

Miss Hazel Clark, of Springfield, was the week end guest of Mrs. Jenkins McDole and accompanied Mrs. McDole and Mrs. Letoy Baker to Bowersdale to spend Sunday with Mr. Clark.

Miss Edith Willison arrived Saturday evening from East Walnut Hills, Cincinnati to visit her mother, Mrs. Jane Willison.

Russel McKee was up from Chillicothe spending Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Ed. McKee and sister, Miss Helen McKee.

Claire Mershon of Columbus visited his cousin Ray Mershon, Sunday.

Mrs. Cora B. Adams of Cincinnati is a patient at the Fayette Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thorpe entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Soizer, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Puckett and children of Sinking Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Terry and children, of Mechanicsburg, and Russel Gleibehaus.

Orville J. Bergamier, of the U. S. Marine Corps, and Mrs. Bergamier have been visiting relatives here the past few days. Mr. Bergamier leaves Tuesday for the east to report at Boston, Mass., to begin his second enlistment. After serving his first enlistment, he was honorably discharged and immediately enlisted again. Mr. Bergamier has received two medals, one for sharpshooting.

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Mr. Harry Brehm of Dayton spent Sunday the guest of Mr. J. M. Kershner and family.

Mrs. Dann Denney of Cedarville is visiting her daughters, Mrs. J. M. Kershner and Mrs. J. R. Palmer.

Mr. Herman Jones, of the Peoples & Drovers bank has gone to New York City for an important business conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minshall (nee Marie Purcell) are motoring visitors here for the day.

BAPTIST MEN!

The men's Bible Class of the First Baptist church will hold their monthly business meeting and social at the home of the pastor, Rev. G. L. Hart, tonight.

All who have ever belonged to the class, and their friends, are cordially invited.

ANOTHER MAN SENT TO MILITARY CAMP

William Ellsworth Zimmerman was voluntarily inducted into the military service Monday morning, and was sent to Camp F. B. Morse, at Leon Springs, San Antonio, Texas, as an electrician.

The Local Board is now working on the list of men who will be sent from this county on May 27th, and which contingent will contain 76 men.

FINE MONUMENTS

The P. J. Burke Monument Co. completed four handsome monuments in Chillicothe the past week.

One large cross monument erected to the memory of the late Joseph Gerber. A large four piece sarcophagus for E. J. Powell. A handsome two piece monument for Chas. F. Bock, another two piece monument for Frank Bierle.

All the above monuments being made from the famous Barre granite.

HELPS TO KEEP FIT

When the digestion is out of order, it throws the whole physical being out of gear. B. B. Hayward, Unadilla, Ga., writes: "Foley Cathartic Tablets give me quicker relief than any I have ever tried." They relieve bili-ousness, bad breath, bloating, gas, indigestion and constipation. No griping or nausea. Blackmer & Tanquary.

There was a large assemblage of the order and the public generally and the atmosphere of the lodge room was charged with solemnity.

The members of the Chapter, through the impressive services, made in spirit a veritable pilgrimage to memory's inner shrine, where loyally the beloved dead are cherished.

The services were in charge of Mrs. Leo Gregg, Worthy Matron and Dr. W. E. Robinson, Worthy Patron.

The opening and closing ceremonies were participated in by members of the Chapter.

Mrs. Corinne Larrimer, prefaced the Roll Call of deceased members, read by the Secretary, Mrs. Martha R. Mark, with a beautiful contralto solo, Mrs. Henry Wills accompanist.

Responses were made by W. E. Robinson, W. P., Mae Rodgers, A. M., Amelia Waddell, Conductress, Reba Bay, Asso. Con.

The drive is continuing with splendid success, and a much larger sum is expected when the final reports are made.

Williamsport, in a brief period of time Sunday, raised \$2300 and will increase the fund by a considerable amount during the next few days.

FINAL RALLY AT JEFFERSONVILLE

The final war chest meeting at Jeffersonville, Sunday afternoon, drew a large crowd, and the same deep interest that has characterized every meeting held in the county, was apparent.

Messrs. Reid, Brownell and Parrett were the speakers, and music was furnished by the High School orchestra of this city, led by Miss Jane Kessler.

Mr. C. S. Haver's fine bass voice was much enjoyed in a solo "The Publican," Mrs. W. D. Craig accompanist.

Miss Mary Edge contributed a brilliant piano arrangement of "The Palms" and Mr. Walter Herron a powerful tenor solo, "Still, Still With Thee," Mrs. Herron the accompanist.

The Memorial was closed by the members of the Lodge, flowers being used in connection with the farewell tribute.

The names of deceased members were read in the order of their going.

They were: Bro. J. E. Jenkins, Bro. H. M. Blessing, Sis. Clara M. Adams, Sis. Grace Austin, Ellenberg, Bro. Jerome Penn, Sis. Margaret C. Dick, Sis. Minnie B. Karney, Bro. Chas. F. Parker, Sis. Lydia Tracey, Bro. Harry D. Colwell, Bro. H. H. Whelply, Bro. Noah L. Snider; Bro. S. A. Ireland, Bro. Theo. F. Brown, Bro. E. V. Donnan, Sis. Gertrude Veale, Sis. Hallie D. Whelply, Sis. E. Henrietta DeCatur, Bro. B. H. Millikan, Sis. Martha Leever, Sis. Anna J. Rowan, Sis. Lydia V. Brown, Bro. John W. Leever, Sis. Emma C. Grove, Sis. Florence Austin, Sis. Mary Black, Sis. Harriet Swope Parker, Sis. Emma McCormick, Bro. J. C. Greiner, Bro. C. F. McCormick.

MILITARY NOTE BOOKS

ADMINISTRATOR.

In the Probate Court Austin L. Sanders has been appointed administrator of the late Wm. A. Sanders.



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ANOTHER MEMBER COMPANY DIES FOR FLAG HE LOVED

Corporal Earl Thomas, Who Was Seriously Wounded in Battle a Few Days Ago, Succumbs.

Is Second Member of Local Company to Find Resting Place in France While Doing His Bit Against the German Hordes.

Fayette county has given another of her noble sons in the defense of Liberty, this time a German bullet taking the life of a member of Company M, and bringing sadness and despair to his loved ones in this city.

Corporal Earl Thomas, who was recently wounded in battle with the Germans, is dead. Last week he was reported as having been seriously wounded and Monday morning his name appeared in the casualty list as having died of wounds. Sunday a telegram giving notice of his death, was received in South Charleston, near which place the Thomas family is said to have resided. The telegram was sent back, and was expected to reach this city Monday.

Corporal Thomas, until recently a private in M Company, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas, of Columbus avenue, and there is no doubt but what he did his part nobly and bravely in the cause of humanity against the common foe—the Germans.

Mrs. Thomas, mother of Corporal Thomas, when she learned that her son was seriously wounded, broke down completely, and since that time has been a nervous wreck.

Monday morning Miss Mary Robinson, of the Home Service Department of the Red Cross in Fayette county, went to the Thomas home to carry the message of the death of their loved one in France.

Corporal Thomas is the second member of M Company from this county who has made the supreme sacrifice to defeat the Germans, the first death being that of Clarence P. Downer, of Madison township, who died of pneumonia. At least four Fayette county men have given their lives in the present conflict, three being taken by disease, and the fourth, Corporal Thomas, by a German bullet.

The last letter written home before he entered the battle which was to be his last, was received by his brother, Frank, a short time ago, and is given below:

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**LIEUT. B. E. PAUL
BACK ON U. S. SOIL
MAY BE HOME SOON**

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Paul have received a telegram from their son, Lieutenant Billie E. Paul, formerly of Company M, now of Company K, stating that he had arrived safely at Hoboken, N. J., and was then stationed at Camp Merritt, awaiting assignment to some National Army Cantonment where he will spend several months as an instructor.

The telegram stated that he left France May 9th and made the trip to America in nine days. Also that he wanted to get home for a few days as soon as possible, if orders would permit him to do so.

It is expected that some time this week, Lieut Paul will reach this city, although this, of course, is a matter of considerable uncertainty, as orders may call him to some cantonment in another part of the country and he may not arrive here until later.

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consolation to know my friends think of me while away from home.

Have spent the greater part of my time at sea. Have recently been transferred to the Celebes, one of the Dutch ships of which the government has taken possession. Conditions of same are very nice, and a nice crew.

Thanking the Sunday school for your kindness, wishing you one and all success and happiness and hoping I will soon again be with you.

Sincerely,
FRANK McCAFFERTY,
United States Navy.

WAR ACTIVITIES TO BE SHOWN

The Ohio State Fair is being run on the basis of a War Activity this year. With the purpose of stimulating production of fats premiums in the swine department have been increased \$1707.50 which makes a total of \$6143.50 offered. Another new departure is an effort to increase the number and value of war gardens by offering special prizes for City War Garden exhibits.

Secretary of Agriculture N. E. Shaw announces that the premium list for this year will be read for distribution about June 1st and invites the breeders of Ohio to write for a copy.

The immense Federal war exhibit which combines the war activities of the departments of Agriculture, War, Navy, Interior, Commerce, and Food Administration and the Committee of Public Information has already met a spirit of approval from everybody.

OUT OF HOSPITAL AFTER TEN WEEKS

Harry Rinehart, member of the 332d Baking Company, U. S. Army, stationed at Camp Merritt, has left the military hospital at Hoboken, N. J., after nearly ten weeks in the hospital, where he underwent an operation for hernia.

MEETINGS POSTPONED

Owing to an epidemic of mumps in the Sugar Grove neighborhood the G. C. F. Bonham's warehouse, Florence S. Ustick, Sales Agent.

AUTOS STOLEN

The daily newspapers tell of Ford automobiles being stolen right along at Columbus, Chillicothe, Springfield, Dayton and other places. The time for automobile thieves to get in their work is when you are not with your machine, when it is parked or in your garage. The cheapest insurance against theft is to have a Ram anti-theft lock put on your Ford auto. We install them in five minutes for \$2.50. Two keys with each lock. Hitchcock & Dalbey, Advt.

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Tomorrow--Matinee 2:30

Jewel Carmen in 'The Bride of Fear'

Guaranteed Attraction

FIRST SESSION OF CHILLICOTHE DIST. GROUP MEETINGS

The first of a series of "group meetings" of the Chillicothe District Conference, including the M. E. churches of Washington, Wellston and Waverly, is convening at the Y. M. C. A. of this city today.

Owing to war conditions these group meetings are held in the different localities with the purpose of economizing both time and travel.

The same subjects will be discussed at each of the three places and the practical work of the district accomplished just as fully as if one general meeting were held.

Monday's group meeting was scheduled for this city; Tuesday night and Wednesday for Waverly; Thursday for Wellston.

The program presented at today's session was opened at nine o'clock by W. B. Rose, with worship and caroled out as follows:

9:15—"Our War Offerings, How to Take them,"—Gunnell.

10:00—"Keeping up our Benevolences," Davis (E. L.)

10:45—"Recruiting Our Membership," Laughlin.

11:30—"Increasing Our Advocate Subscription," Stone.

12:00—"Adjournment for luncheon together at restaurant on self-serving plan.

1:30 p.m.—Worship, Moody.

1:45—"How to Keep our Church Records," Kanuth.

2:30—"The Pastor in

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BRINGING UP FATHER

FIRST AIRPLANE LETTER ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON

Postmaster S. A. Murry is in receipt of the first airplane mail to be carried by a government aviator and delivered in this city, the letter being from W. R. Walker, of Washington, D. C., formerly employed in the post office in this city.

The letter was carried from Washington, D. C., to Philadelphia by airplane, where it was placed in the post office and came through the regular channels.

While the letter was intended for the first trip, it is evident that it was carried on the second trip, being dated May 16th.

The letter bears a 24 cent stamp with a picture of an airplane on the stamp. The regular postage would have been about 14 cents, but the letter was registered.

The letter written by Walker, who is in government employ at Washington, follows:

Washington, D. C. May 14, 1918.

Mr. S. A. Murry,

Washington C. H. O.

Dear Friend:

"As tomorrow is the first day for Airplane Postal Service, I thought you would like to get a letter which was carried on the first plane.

"I suppose airplanes will be running through Washington C. H. soon, and that Russell Dews will be the aviator, while Howard (Allen) will sort the mail while enroute.

"I don't know where they will drop this letter off, but I suppose at Philadelphia. They only run between Washington, Philadelphia and New York, but receive mail for any point in the Postal Union."

"I have not seen any of the planes used for the service, but I hope to see them soon. I guess they start from the Potomac Park, between the

river and the basin, just above the Highway Bridge.

"We are having very fine weather now; and it seems just like Ohio summer. Suppose it is just the beginning of a scorch.

"I shall not worry you any longer, but will get this out on the Next plane.

Respectfully,
 WILLIAM R. WALKER."

SUNDAY GAMES

Cincinnati, May 20.—The Reds made it four out of five from New York by winning the last game of the series here. Eller kept the hits well scattered and his support was very fast. Barnes was hit hard in the fourth inning. Score:

R. H. E.
 New York ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 19 4
 Cincinnati ... 0 0 0 4 1 0 0 0 2 5 6 1
 Barnes, Tesreau, Chausey, Demaree and McCarty. Eller and Wingo.

National League.

AT ST. LOUIS— R. H. E.
 Boston 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 0
 St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 2
 Heard and Wilson, Packard and Gonzales.

AT CHICAGO— R. H. E.
 Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 0
 Chicago 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 3 6 1
 Hogg and Burns, Tyler and Kilifer.

American League.

AT WASHINGTON— R. H. E.
 Cleveland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 6
 Washington and O'Neill; Ayres and Alsmith.

CLUBS, W. L. Pet. CLUBS, W. L. Pet.
 N. York 20 7 34 Filoli ... 11 17 419
 Chicago 17 9 354 Boston 10 19 370
 Chi. 11 12 352 Brooklyn 9 16 369
 Pittsburgh 12 12 350 St. Louis 9 17 344

American Association.

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 Boston 18 19 343 Washn. 12 14 481
 N. York 15 12 356 St. Louis 11 13 453
 Chicago 13 11 352 Phila. 11 15 423
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